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Sir:

This is a request under 37 CFR 1.60 for filing a

Continuation Division
of application No. 08/452,053, filed May 25, 1995, which is a continuation of USSN 08/174,550, filed December 28, 1993, which is a continuation of USSN 07/756,207, filed September 6, 1991, which is a continuation of USSN 07/579,007, filed September 7, 1990.
cf (list each inventor) Steinunn Baekkeskov, Henk-Jan Aanstoot, Pietro DeCamilli, Michele Solimena and Franco Folli

for IMPROVED METHODS FOR THE DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF DIABETES

The application papers **FILED HEREWITH** (specification, claims, originally filed drawing(s) and oath or declaration) are a true copy of the prior application.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
--This is a Continuation Division of application No. 08/452,053, filed May 25, 1995, which is a continuation of USSN 08/174,550, filed December 28, 1993, which is a continuation of USSN 07/756,207, filed September 6, 1991, which is a continuation of USSN 07/579,007, filed September 7, 1990 the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference.--

- A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
 Formal drawings are enclosed.
 An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 is enclosed.
 Two verified statements to establish status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed signed by University of California and Yale University.
 Enclosed is a petition to extend time to respond.
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Respectfully submitted,

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